Between Two Shores

(Continued from yesterday)

There was a cloud upon his face. "Of the 'ministering angel' kind, I suppose," he suggested.

"Yes." "Your judgment is warped," he went on. "Do you expect to convince by such syllogisms as: It is virtuous to make presents of prunes; he makes me presents of prunes; therefore he is

virtuous?" She looked at him with wounded "That is not kind of you," she maid.

"But, my dear lady, I am not kind. That is what I am arguing for." Her lips closed firmly. She did not

ADSWET. "Is the assertion admitted?" be inquired.

Her mouth quivered. He saw it, and his mood melted. "Do you mean to say," he asked, ad-

justing the rug about her shoulders and regarding her with an intent gase, that it makes any difference to you?" The fragment of a sob broke from

ber. "Of course it makes a difference," she auswered, "to-to be treated so." His hand closed firmly over the rug

and rested against her shoulder. "Why does it make a difference?" he demanded.

She stammered confusedly. "Because-because it does," she replied. His face was very grave. The hand upon her shoulder trembled. "I hope it does not make a difference," he said. "Look! There is a sail."

They rose and went to the railing, following with unseeing eyes a white sail that skirted the horizon. At the vessel's side porpoises were leaping on the waves. She leaned over, her eyes brightening, her loosened hair blowing about her face in soft brown strands. There was a pink flush in her cheeks. "I should like to be a porpoise," she said, "and to skim that blue water in the sunshine. How happy

"And you are not?" The flush died from her cheeks. "I? Oh, no," she nnswered

He leaned nearer. His hand brushed hers as it lay upon the railing.

"Did love make you happy?" he askod suddenly.

She raised her lashes, and their eyes met. "Love?" she repeated vaguely. "That husband of yours," he explained almost harshly, "did you love

Her gaze went back to the water. A wistful tremor shook her lips. "He was very good to me," she replied.

"And I suppose you loved him because he was good. Well, the reason suffices."

She looked at him steadily. "Because he was good to me," she corrected. Then she hesitated, "But I did not love him in the way you mean," she added. "I know now that I did not." "Eh?" he ejaculated half absently

and then, "How do you know it?" She turned from him, looking after the vanishing sail, just visible in the remote violet of the distance. "There are many ways"

His eyes rested upon the soft outline of her ear, half hidden in her By. blown hair. "What are they?"

bim. "It made so difference to me," as very selfish. When he kissed me coming out." it left me cold.

you loved some one," he said, "it would blew past them, and she put up her make a great difference to you whether hand to hold her hat. Her skirts were be came or went? It would gladden wrapped closely about her, and her you to be with him, and when he figure seemed to grow tailer in the kissed you it would not leave you gray fog that rose from the sea. The

"I-I think so," she answered, He bent toward her swiftly, then checked himself, with a sneering laugh. "I'll give you a piece of valuable advice," he said. "Don't allow yourself

to grow sentimental. It is awful rot." And he threw himself into his chair, He drew a notebook from his pocket, and when she seated herself he dld not look up. There was a gray cast about bis face, and his lips were compressed. Bhe noticed that he was older than she at first supposed and that the hand with which he held the pencil twitched nervously; then she lay watching him

idly from beneath lowered lids. An hour later he looked up, and their glances met. With sudden determination he closed the book and replaced it in his pocket. "You look pale," he remarked abruptly.

"Do I?" she questioned inanimatedly. "I do not see any reason why I should not."

"Perhaps, so long as it is not unbecoming to you."

"Why will you say such things?" she demanded angrily. "I detest them."

"Indeed? Yes, pallor is not unbecoming to you. It gives you an interesting look." She rubbed the cheek next him with

the edge of her rug until it glowed scarlet. "There!" she exclaimed in resentment.

"That gives you a radiant look," he emarked composedly.

Her eyes flashed, "You will make me hate you," she retorted.

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He smiled slightly, his eyes half sad "I am trying to," he responded. . She stamped her foot with impa-

tience. "Then you won't succeed. will not hate you. Do you hear? I will not!"

"Is it a question of will?"

"In this case, yes." "Do you hate as you choose-and love?" he asked.

"I don't know," she replied. "I hardly think I could hate you if I would, despite your-your hatefulness." "Not though it were a part of wis

"Wisdom has nothing to do with"-"With what?" he questioned.

"With hate."

"Nor with love?" "Nor with love."

He shook himself free from an imaginary weight, passing his hand across his contracted brow. "Then so much the worse for hate," he responded,

"and for love."

As she did not answer be spoke fiercely. "When you love, love a virtuous, straightaway plodder," he said. "Love a man because he is decent-because he is decent and plain and all the things that the romancers laugh at. Love a fool, if you will, but let him be a fool who goes to his office at 9 and leaves it at 6; who craves no more exciting atmosphere than the domestic one of house girl worries and teething bables. If you ever find yourself loving a man like me, you had better make for the nearest lamp post andbang"

"Hush!" she cried, her cheeks flaming. "How-how dare you?" Her voice broke sharply, and she fell to sobbing behind her raised hands.

"My God!" he said softly. She felt his breath upon her forehead, and a tremor passed over her. Then his bands fastened upon hers and drew them from her eyes. He was panting like a man who has ruu a race.

She was looking straight before her A small homing bird alighted for a swift instant on the railing near them. scanning suspiciously the deserted corner, and she knew that that bird would be blazoned on her memory forever after. Then she felt the man's lips close upon her own.

"You shall love me," he said, "and right be damned."

She stepped out upon the deck, her eyes shining. He met her moodily "Shall we walk up into the bow?" be asked

She nodded. "This is our last evening," she said. "We will make it long

"However long we make it, there is always tomorrow.'

Her face clouded. "Yes, there is tomorrow," she admitted She fell into step with him, and they

walked the length of the deck. Once she lost her balance, and he laid his hand upon her arm. When she recovered herself he dld not remove it.

"We will go far up," she said. "We will look straight out to sea and forget what is behind us."

"Can we forget it?" he asked gloom-

She smiled into his face. "I will She turned her face still further from make you," she answered. "Put your hands upon the railing-so-and watch said, "whether he came or went. the boat as it cuts the waves. Is it wearied me to be with him, and I not like a bird? And see, the stars are

A salt spray dashed into their faces His gaze stung her sharply. "And if as they leaned far over. A wet wind ethereal quality in her appearance was emphasized.

He drew away from her. "You are too delicate for my rough hands," he said.

"Am I?" she laughed softly; then a rising passion swolled in her voice. "I and choose to be broken by you to seing caressed by any other man"-

His face whitened. "Don't say that," he protested hoursely.

Why not, since it is true?" "It is not true."

A half moon was mounting into the heavens, and it lit the sea with a path of silver. The pearl colored mist floated ahead of the steamer, fluttering like the filmy garments of a water sprite.

A dozen stars hung overhead. "But it is true," she answered. Her words rang clearly, with a triumphant note. For a time he did not speak. In the light of the half moon she saw the deepening furrows upon his face. His

hands were clinched. "There is time yet," he said at last, "to withdraw a false play. Take your

love back." She trembled, and her lips parted. "I cannot," she replied, "and I would

He stretched out his arms as if to draw her toward him, and she faltered before the passion in his glance. Then he fell back. "What a mess you are

making of your life!" he said. But his warming eyes had reassured her. "The mess is already made," she responded.

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PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

For Equal Suffrage Constitutional Amendment. 302 Yes. 303 No. For Amendment to the Local Option Law, Giving Anti-Prohibition ists and Prohibitionists Equal Privileges. Vote Yes or No 304 Yes.

305 For Law to Abolish Tolls on the Mount Hood and Barlow Road and Providing for Its Ownership by the State. Vote Yes or No 306 Yes.

307 No. For Constitutional Amendment Providing Method of Amending Constitution and Applying the Referendum to all Laws Affecting Constitutional Conventions and Amendments. Vote Yes or No Yes.

309 No. For Constitutional Amendment Giving Cities and Towns Exclusive Power to Enact and Amend their Charters, Vote Yes or No Yes. 311 No.

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Yes.

No.

For Constitutional Amendment for the Initiative and Referendum on Local, Special and Municipal Laws and Parts of Laws. Vote Yes or No

Yes. No.

For Bill for a Law Prohibiting Free Passes and Discrimination by Railroad Companies and Other Public Service Corporations.

Vote Yes or No 316 Yes.

317 No. For an Act Requiring Sleeping Car Companies. Refrigerator Car Companies, and Oil Companies, to Pay an Annual License Upon

Gross Earnings. Vote Yes or No Yes.

319 No. For an Act Requiring Express Companies, Telegraph Companies, and Telephone Companies, to Pay an Annual License Upon Gross

Earnings. Vote Yes or No

No.